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C. T. FLANDERS, JUDY, KENTUCKY

## Japan—Missionary Success.

By REV. D. S. SPENCER, Tokyo, Japan.

Do foreign missions pay? This is the question asked again and again by those who pretend, in spite of the vast volume of evidence to be gathered on every hand, to doubt the wisdom of the churches' effort to convert the heathen world. Japan as a mission field offers evidence of the highest value of the power of the gospel of Jesus Christ to enlighten, purify, civilize, and Christianize a people who until recently were buried in pagan superstition, doubt and decay.

A patient comparison is necessary to understand Japan's past and present. In 1512 that intrepid Portuguese navigator, Mendez Pinto, touched the shores of Japan and returning took with him to India Anjiro, a Japanese subject. Seven years later, in 1549, Francis Xavier, a heroic Roman Catholic missionary, met with Anjiro, became interested in the salvation of the Japanese, brought him to Japan with other followers and began the teaching of the Christian faith to the people. By 1598 more than a million of converts had been secured, among whom were great feudal lords, men of powerful influence. The attempt to control political affairs, a serious mistake on the part of the Christian evangelist, led to a persecution of unusual severity, extending over many years, and costing the lives of more than two hundred thousand faithful natives and two hundred European missionaries. We need not to study the

details of this persecution, but must not fail to note its terrible severity, the unswerving loyalty of the Christians to their faith, and the great prejudice created in the Japanese mind of all classes against the Christian faith and the foreigners who brought it. This prejudice closed the empire to the foreigners for 250 years and made his second entrance upon Japanese soil one of great difficulty and delicacy. A handful of Dutch traders, corralled on a little island in Nagasaki Bay, their ships coming two or three in a year, themselves always under police surveillance, never allowed to penetrate the main land, forming a window in the south, thro which Japan could dimly look out upon Europe, were the only foreigners allowed to come in contact with the children of the Sunrise Kingdom.

The black ships of Commodore Perry with their strange white wings, entering Tokyo Bay in 1853, July, broke the slumbers of Japan's millions and helped to lead the people out upon a era of new national existence and unprecedented progress. With consummate diplomatic skill and without the firing of a gun, he secured a treaty of amity and good will, a step of stupendous importance to all the world. But the prejudices of the people at large still remained to be overcome.

The first Protestant missionaries entered Japan in 1859. Their first convert received baptism in October, 1861, but so hostile was the

Church property may be held under legal provisions as safe as the empire itself.

Our mission schools have long labored under great embarrassment, partly because they were Christian, partly because they were private schools rather than a part of the government school system; but recently the chief hindrances have been removed and our schools can now provide for all who seek admission.

SUCCESSES OF FORTY YEARS.

What are the successes of forty years of toil? We now have 400 native ordained ministers, trained in our Christian Schools, loyal to our cause, earnest, intelligent, self-sacrificing, able in most cases to double or quadruple their income by leaving the services of the Church to accept secular work or government positions. There are 500 unordained ministers and helpers, and 325 native bible women who labor for the saving of the womanhood of Japan. Four-hundred church buildings invite the people to worship God. The gospel is regularly preached in 1150 stations and there are about 475 organized churches, perhaps 100 of which are self-supporting. These churches report 52,000 members, and 45,000 Sunday School children meet in more than 900 Sunday Schools where they are taught systematically in the way of God. As to church relations of these Christians the Presbyterian, the Congregational, the Episcopal, and the Methodist families have each approximately 11,000 members, while the Baptist approximate 2,500, the balance being divided among the Lutheran, the Christian, Scandinavian, Universalist and other smaller bodies. The Boarding Schools number 57 in which there are 55,000 young men and women receiving Christian education, and in about 80 day schools 7,000 little children are being instructed. One Christian publishing house last year sent out

CONFIDENCE RESTORED.

Suspicion has given place to confidence, and it has come to pass that the men most largely trusted are the Christian men. The President in the lower house in the Diet, three chosen, is a Christian man, and a dozen or fifteen of its most influential members are well known followers of Christ. This is about fifty times the due representation of the Christians proportionate to numbers. But we now have Christian ministers in the Cabinet, Christian admirals in the navy, Christian generals in the army, Christian justices upon the Supreme bench, Christian men heading important commercial enterprises, and we ought to thank God that the profession of Christianity is no longer bar to a man's attainment of the highest positions in the empire.

HUMANITARIAN INSTITUTIONS.

The followers of Buddha and Confucius mumbled prettyrical

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When the looks of that vehicle  
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up 166, at our expense; drop  
us a card (will come to see you  
on the next train) or call and  
see us. . . . .

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## BEAN BROTHERS,

CARRIAGES AND HARNESS  
WINCHESTER, - Kentucky.

phrases about kindness and charity

and left the suffering to bear their  
sorrows as best they might; but the  
Christians are dotting the land  
with hospitals, orphanages, asy-  
lums, homes for the friendless and  
for ex-convicts, and the tears of  
joy and gratitude that flow from  
the relieved are as intense wafed  
to heaven. Perhaps in nothing

has Christianity manifested its  
power over the fiery Japanese spirit  
more completely than when it has  
tamed the *samurai* and sent him  
out as a good Samanitan to estab-  
lish humanitarian institutions,

## ELEVATION OF WOMAN

Woman, too, has felt mighty  
the touch of Christian uplift. Con-  
fucius had no place for her. From  
many Buddhist temples and sacred  
mountains she is excluded. She  
could claim no legal standing, and  
was a mere chattel to be disposed of  
as of caprice might dictate. But  
Christianity has made concubinage  
a disgrace; the civil code, based  
upon the Code of Napoleon, or  
Christian law, gives to woman her  
legal status, guards her rights of  
person and property, and makes  
possible her independent existence.

The hardest blow yet struck  
against the damnable system of  
licensed prostitution, the curse of  
Japan, was struck by a Christian  
missionary, a Methodist, and if the  
Christians be supported in their ef-  
fort the day is not distant when  
they will close every brothel in  
the land.

## DEVELOPING CHRISTIAN SENTIMENT

But the case does not rest here.

The influence of Christian senti-  
ment in society has made a differ-  
ence in the dealings of man with  
man. Not a judge upon the bench  
but has felt his moral backbone  
stiffen by the presence of Christian  
sentiment among the people and  
even in the press.

Japan has recently set the world  
an example by imprisoning more  
than one hundred of her leading  
citizens, some of them men occu-  
pying high positions in her educational  
system, because they were found guilty  
of accepting petty bribes from the publishers of text-  
books as payment for their favor-  
able opinions on these books.

I do not pretend to assert that

Japanese civilization is morally  
equal to that of America at all  
points, not by any means, nor  
would I have the reader lose sight  
of the fact that the missionaries to  
that country have not been asleep  
for thirty years. No statistics can  
picture to the mind the wide-  
spread influence of Christian senti-  
ment already manifested in this  
land so recently heathen, and this  
influence is large out of all propor-  
tion to the numbers of those est-  
ablished as Christians.

## REVISION OF TREATIES AND RESULTS

The revision of the treaties lift-  
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## IT MUST BE A GO.

If the people of Montgomery county would secure a competitive railroad and at the same time give us access to business along the line and tributary to the Lexington & Eastern and its extension they must pull together, and at once, for the line is short and the needs are heavy. Every man, be he property owner or laborer, has a material interest. The land owner that has a farm in Montgomery county will be benefited by the increased value of his lands at any time he might want to put it on the market. To be specific, the man with \$10,000 worth of land would be worth at least \$11,000 from this source. Then all men would be benefited by the reason of a decrease in the tax rate, for every mile of road in the county would add thousands of dollars to the assessed list of property, and would for the reason of making it a competitive point so reduce freights that would within a short time pay back the amount we may subscribe to secure the construction of this road. The people of Mt. Sterling would be greatly benefited by enhanced values on real estate and by the business that would be added. No one can deny these statements, and we could add many more advantages. To the former such a road would be worth its thousands. For illustration: Along the line of the Southern Railway from Lexington to Louisville there are many milk stations and we are informed that there are quite a number of farmers that furnish the milk dealers in Louisville as much as \$500 worth per month. One man said: "During the period of years I have been in the milk business, I have shipped and realized from time to time in the city of Louisville's \$16,000. Such a business could be conducted from here every day with Lexington, Louisville or Cincinnati as we might choose, and the milk leaving here would get to market just as soon as the Southerners take it into Louisville. For such results the farmer can not afford to do without this road longer. Every item raised on the farm would find an active market. The blackberry bushes that grow wild on the neglected parts of the farm would be making satisfactory returns, and labor would find constant employment. The laborer and professional man would find remunerative work constantly coming his way. Business houses and residences would be in demand.

Now it is up to us whether or not we would have results as above mentioned. It is a serious matter to Montgomery county. It is necessary that every individual do his or her best. Make up your mind to do the best you can. If all will do accordingly to what they have and how they would be benefited, the amount of money needed would be realized. Then there is the right of way, the farmers through whom the road may pass can not be losers if every man along the line gives it free of compensation. You may hear some land owner say he would be ruined by the road

going through and cutting the farm in half, but that farmer will be ruined if the road is not constructed at all. For what he now has to go to waste annually and what he could produce and is not now, will go on this way for ever unless the road is built. This is a progressive age, we can't afford to stand still. When informed we believe every man with both money, contribution and right of way will do his part. The serious matter is to us. Everybody to the wheel. Pull! Push!

## THE NEGRO IN OHIO.

The deplorable riot across the river in the state of Ohio is not a source of pleasure to any good law respecting citizen. That such an occurrence should become a part of Ohio's record in a locality where negroes are numerous is no great surprise. In fact, knowing the feeling that exists between the races as we do, the wonder is the clash had not come sooner.

The negro heard of the great sympathy of the Ohio citizen for him in his relations with the Southern white man and because of that knowledge he had graded the Ohioan on equality with himself, socially and otherwise. This sentiment had gone forth but it was not real, and the negro is to the respectable Ohio citizen exactly as he is to the Southern man, and whenever he commits an outrage of any kind against a Northern white man it is avenged right speedily as in the South. The negro can not continue in the same locality with the white man, be it in the North or South, on terms of equality. To eat at the same table, or even in the same hotel is a lowering of the dignity of the white man and even the negro regards it, and the negro is therefore positively denied recognition socially anywhere except by his own race.

President Roosevelt made a test of the social feature, selecting as his subject, the most distinguished of his race, Booker Washington, and had the negro to dine with him, and this bid for Republican representation will cost the President the goal of his ambition. The white people will not have it. This feeling between the races which exists in the South is permeating the North and East where ever the negro goes and will be seen very frequently in a riotous spirit as at Springfield, Ohio. The question is this: What can the United States do with the negro?

## BE READY.

Solicitors for aid in procuring a building of railroad will soon call an you. This is an enterprise in which all should have a part.

This is Democracy. Voice the sentiment of Kentucky Democrats by presenting personal claims modestly and leaving decision for a majority vote.

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That may arise from broken sizes, last season's, etc. Rest assured you can buy the cheapest goods sold from us for cash. We mean it. Try us.

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## Notice of Election.

In pursuance to resolutions adopted by the Democratic Executive Committee of the 10th Congressional District of Kentucky, at its official called meeting, held at the Hager House, in Paintsville Kp., on Feb. 6th 1904, it is ordered and directed;

That, there be held on May the 7th 1904, between the hours of 6 a.m. and 4 p.m., at the various voting places in each of the counties composing the 10th Congressional District of Kentucky, Primary Election, for the purpose of nominating a Democratic Candidate for Congress to be voted for at the Nov. Election 1904.

All legal voters affiliating with the Democratic Party, and those who will be legal voters at the Nov. election 1904, and who announce their intention of affiliating with the Democratic party, and all of whom are residents of the District, will be entitled to a vote in said Primary.

Given under my hand this 6th day of March 1904.

D. W. GARDINER, Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of the 10th Congressional District of Kentucky.

W. M. BYINGTON, Secretary.

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## MONUMENTS.

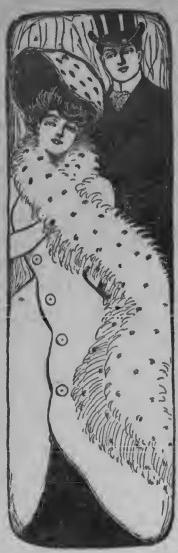
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Spring, the Glorious Spring,  
Sheds light, and life on everything;  
All nature awakens from her wintry sleep  
And takes on new robes to beautify and gladden the world.  
THEN WHY SHOULD NOT MAN?



**E**ASTER, which is only a little way off, is the day set apart for the reviewing of the Spring Styles. Begin your shopping now. Our magnificent stock of Suits, Top Coats, Rain Coats, Hats, Shoes and Furnishings is worthy of your careful examination. These goods have been in the hands of the world's leading manufacturers for the past six months, being built to our special order. Among them will be found the most delightful patterns and weaves worked into the most fetching styles of the day. We earnestly solicit your early inspection.

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In Men's Rain Coats, Stein-Bloch and Hamburgers. Matchless garments in belted backs or long, loose Raglans, made with big, broad shoulders and beautiful lapels; perfect models of the tailors' art and just the coat from now on, light, yet warm and water-proof. Sale agents for Mt. Sterling. Prices range from \$12.50 to \$25.00.

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Edwin Clapp's Fine Shoes in all leathers and styles.

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Again we have the pleasure of calling attention of our readers to the advertisement of H. F. Hillermeyer & Sons nursery stock, and to tell our readers they can trust him in anything needed. Just tell Mr. Hillermeyer what you want and he will do the rest. His stock is as claimed for it, and the prices are never too high. Don't forget Hillermeyer & Sons, Lexington, Kentucky.

After this life what?



### A Correction.

Lee Hatton and H. C. Myers make the following statement in regard to the scrap Sunday morning: They had been drinking, and went down on the railroad together, Myers struck Hatton and kicked him, and Hatton then struck Myers and knocked him down. Myers fell on the railroad track cutting the back of his head. Hatton cut Myers' nose with his fist. When we fought we were it the best of humor and are good friends now. Doctor had to be called in, and all parties well and in good shape so soon as Myers' bandages are removed. LEE HATTON, H. C. MYERS.

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### Another Cut in Oil.

For the third time in three weeks the Standard Oil Company has cut prices on crude oil. High grade oils have dropped three cents lower and Ragland two cents lower. Prices are: Penna, \$1.71; Tiona, \$1.80; Somerset, \$1.16; Ragland, 64 cents. The run at Ragland last week was 8,137 barrels.

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### United States Senator Bailey Buys a Farm.

United States Senator Joseph W. Bailey, of Texas, bought at public auction the Thomas H. Shely farm of forty-six acres for \$9,180. The farm is situated about two miles from Lexington on the Versailles road and will be used by Senator Bailey as a home for his select stud of trotting horses.

Fine line of Axminster, Velvet Brussels and Ingrain carpets ever shown in Mt. Sterling. Don't fail to see those now and elegant Axminster and Moquette druggets and rug. We have the most superb line of Japanese and Chinese matting ever seen in this section. We are fully equipped to fill every want in the floor covering line.

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Consists in buying the BEST FURNITURE as well as in paying a small price . . .

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MT. STERLING, KY.

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The walking sick, what a crowd of them there are; Persons who are thin and weak but not sick enough to go to bed.

"Chronic cases" that's what the doctors call them, which in common English means—long sickness.

To stop the continued loss of flesh they need Scott's Emulsion. For the feeling of weakness they need Scott's Emulsion.

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## FRANKFORT ITEMS.

The House bill amending the school law so as to create a State commission to select school text books, instead of by county commissioners, was reported unfavorably by a four to three vote from the committee.

The House bill, to prohibit the co-education of white and colored children, was reported from the committee, with the expression of opinion that it should pass. The bill is aimed at Berea College.

The bill appropriating \$40,000 for cell rooms and other additions for the Edifyville penitentiary and \$26,000 for additions at the Frankfort penitentiary passed 58 to 19.

The bill to prohibit the adulteration of grass and field seed passed, with an amendment.

The State Senate by a vote of 10 to 9 passed the bill appropriating \$20,000 for a statue of the late Gov. Guebel to be placed in the new State House. The House by a vote of 69 to 19 passed a bill repealing the law appropriating \$15,000 annually for a State fair. The Bourne Bill proposing to regulate the tobacco warehouse business of the State was defeated in the House.

The bills assigning the county of Beckham to its proper judicial districts and increasing the pay of the Appellate Court stenographers to \$100 per month were signed by Governor Beckham Tuesday, 5th. The bills relating to the sale of stocks of goods in bulk and increasing the annual allowance for clerk hire in the State Insurance Department were allowed to become laws without the Governor's approval.

Gov. Beckham has signed the bill to extend the school term from five to six months; to apportion the Sheriff's revenue to allow 26½ per cent thereof for the payment of the school term; reapportioning the appellate districts; appropriating the sum of \$75,000 for additions and improvements at the Western Asylum for the Insane, and the bill repealing certain portions of the exemption laws as now to allow the exemption of \$50, under the act of 1902, for provisions for the family.

After this life what?

"A dose in time saves lives," Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup; nature's remedy for coughs, colds, pulmonary diseases of every kind.

### Made The Most of His Job.

A Bourbon county Magistrate drew \$568.17 for services last year. The law allows \$2 per day and it thus appears he did 286 days work during the year. As there are only 313 days in the year exclusive of Sundays, it would seem that he did not devote much time to his private affairs.—Winchester Democrat.

School Inspector (examining scholars)—Where is the North Pole?

"I don't know, sir."

"Don't know? Aren't you ashamed to own that you don't know where the North Pole is?"

"Why, sir, if all the explorers couldn't find it, how should I know where it is?"

### Cure For Lockjaw.

An exchange gives the following: Take common sheep's wool in the grease, place over live coals and smoke the same. It will cure any case of lock-jaw. My son stuck a fork through his foot and suffered intense pain. I used this remedy. The pain ceased at once and he was well. I have tried it on man and beast.

### A Good Investment.

About a year ago Mr. J. B. Prather purchased forty acres just beyond the old toll gate on the Paris pike out of town. He paid \$150 per acre, total \$6,000. Twenty-five acres of this he put in tobacco. The yield from this portion was 45,000 lbs., and he received for ten cents straight from Mr. E. W. Hughes. This made a total of \$4,500. He also sold off the land \$500 worth of timber. This brought the total up to a yield of \$5,000 gross on an investment of \$6,000.—Paris Cor. Lexington Herald.

### Marking of Sin.

Christ not only instantly calmed the wild winds sweeping over Gallilee, but the surging of the waves as well—the effect of the winds. In grace it's somewhat different. The burnt hand is scarred; the disease is stayed, but the face is pitted; forgiveness is applied, but the judgment of sin is a cross; the soul is redeemed, but guilt has given the spirit a broken wing that is never so strong as before. Certainly we should not sin that grace may abound, for even if the wind does cease, in our bodies, minds and souls we shall bear marks of the storm.—Geo. L. Snively.

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[Mar. 16, 1904.]

**Measure is to Prevent the Deterioration of Kenincky's Famous Blue-Grass.**

Representative South Trimble's bill preventing the adulteration of Kentucky blue-grass seed was on March 9th favorably reported by the House Agricultural Committee. The bill—which is one of the most important from a local standpoint now pending in Congress—was introduced by Mr. Trimble early in the session. He has constantly urged upon the members of the committee the vital necessity to farmers of the passage of some such a measure, and his good work in behalf of the bill was on the 9th rewarded with a favorable report. Mr. Trimble made quite a campaign out of Congress for his bill. He wrote letters to the heads of the agricultural schools throughout the country asking for their views of his measure, and in every instance received an enthusiastic endorsement of the bill. One of these letters played an important part in the proceedings before the committee.

The chairman of the committee has designated Mr. Trimble to draw up the report on the bill, which will be submitted to the House within a few days.

### The Doctor's Bill.

There are 200,000 doctors in the United States, collecting in fees each year more than \$150,000,000. Then there are the prescription bills and the huge expenditures for patent medicines. Clearly, sickness is one of the main events in the routine of the average American's life.

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## JAPAN — MISSIONARY SUCCESS.

(Continued from first page.)

ed from Japan a burden which was fast coming to be unbearable. This is the political side of the matter. From the Church's standpoint it bursts from the missionary his travelling passport fitters and set him free to roam at will up and down the empire, preaching Jesus and the resurrection; it changed the feelings of the government and people toward the foreigner and his creed; it stirred the native evangelist with a desire to see the people converted; it gave the patriot an additional reason for wishing to make his country worthy to march with the Christian nations of the Occident, and thus threw wide open the doors for Christian propagandism. Then came the Anglo-Japanese Alliance, an event which has imposed upon Japan still greater obligations and inducements to measure up to her best in every way.

### FAILURE OF THE MORAL SYSTEM.

And this has apparently led to another line of thought. From the early years of the Meiji era Japan had depended upon general education to solve her difficulties and lift her into a stable national life. In pursuance of this policy she has developed her school system to a state of great efficiency. With vehement determination religion has been divorced from her schools. But it became clear "that education pure and simple had not bettered the morals of Japan" and this "led the emperor in 1890 to issue his Imperial Rescript on Morals in Education. But as the rescript supplies no power to live the life it recommends, it becomes only a moralization." The young men of the government schools have become skeptical to an alarming extent. Disgusted with the general and moral degradation of the priesthood, cut loose from the religion of their fathers,

and thrust into social, political, industrial, and commercial conditions, all new to them, these young men are religiously and morally adrift. The waves of skepticism, rationalism, and agnosticism have been rolling over Japan, and by many leading men this failure of their moral system is keenly felt and deeply lamented. Of the students in Japanese colleges but one in seventy is a Christian communicant; of the colleges of the United States and Canada, one out of every two is a communiant.

### NOTABLE WITNESSES

Hence Baron Majima, an ex-Cabinet officer, has recently said: "I firmly believe we must have religion as the basis of our national and personal welfare. No matter how large an army or navy we may have, unless we have righteousness at the foundation of our national existence we shall fall short of the highest success. I do not hesitate to say that we must rely upon religion to our highest welfare. And when I look about me to see what religion we may best rely upon, I am convinced that the religion of Christ is the most full of strength and promise for the nation."

Count Okuma, ex Premier, la-

mends the loss of moral fiber and says: "The efforts which the Christians are making to supply

to the country a high standard of conduct are welcomed by all right-thinking people. As you read your Bible you may think it is antiquated, out of date. The words it contains may appear, but the noble life which it holds up to admiration is something that will never be out of date, however much the world may progress. Live and preach this life and you will supply to the nation just what it needs at the present juncture."

### THE CHURCH'S OPPORTUNITY.

This is the Church's opportunity in Japan. Now, while her leading men stand favorable to the inculcation of Christian principles, while

the minds are open to receive the truth; now, when God has, through a victorious war, through improved international relations, and through the failure of their moral system, hung wide open doors, this is the Church's supreme opportunity.

We should seize this opportunity first through increased direct evangelistic work. This is the Church's first and greatest business, to preach the Gospel to the 47,000,000 of Japan, and to this supreme duty all other agencies should be subordinate. To preach that Gospel in the language of the people is the missionary's highest joy. But to do this we must have more men and money.

Our present force all over the field is working to the danger point. The first and greatest need is for young men, the best from the schools, who shall take the field, acquire the language, and be ready for leadership to take the places of the falling pioneers. Then we

need money for native preachers,

not a sudden large increase so as to demoralize self-support, but money especially for new work.

Millions upon millions of the people have never heard of Christ. Their minds are open. They await

something new. Of religion they

have enough, but the Gospel famine is something awful to behold. O brothers, why may not Japan have the Gospel now?

Is this excessive asking for a land where only one in 1,000 of the population is a Church member, where the heathen tribes still outnumber the Protestant communicants? and where

the people crowd about us at the

rate of 300 per square mile, while the United States has but 26 and China 96 to the square mile.

### CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS

We should seize this opportunity through Christian schools. These schools from the first have been both the entering wedge and a source of strength. The Japanese are a reading people. Eighty-one and one-half per cent of the population are actually in the schools. The daily papers from the morning press fall like snowflakes over the land. The selection of books found upon the shelves of book stores in Tokyo compares favorably with those of London, Paris, New York, Philadelphia, or even Boston. The commercial value of the English language is known, and it is a required study in the schools of the country, where the children are learning to think in English. It is now proposed that the children in primary schools shall be taught to Romanize their own language in both Roman and Italic forms. Even the jinrikisha coolies often spend their waiting moments in studying an English reader. But the government schools are non-religious, agnostic, and often anti-Christian.

### REASON FOR CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS.

We must have the Christian schools for our Christian constituency, for the preparation of our ministry, and for the many who choose to commit their sons and daughters to Christian rather than to government schools of skepticism and loose morals. Yet not one of our schools but needs immediate financial help. For years the Church's gifts have been so meager that we could neither rear new buildings nor repair the old. The schools need better physical apparatus, better libraries, a better grade of teachers, in short such an equipment as shall enable them to compete with the government schools in order that we may hold the brightest minds and open the way for larger success through the influence of scholarly Christian men. To combat through Christian schools the agnostic tendencies of the government schools is now a matter of prime importance in the Christianization of Japan.

### JAPAN AND THE ORIENT.

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Among other subjects to be discussed is that of the parental power, and to Miss Breckinridge has been assigned the subject of "Mother's Rights Over Her Children," especially in its legal aspect under the laws of the United States and other civilized nations, and the foundation on which these material rights bases.

Miss Breckinridge is among the few women who have taken the literary degree, and also studied law and been admitted to the bar.

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**FACTS and OBSERVATIONS****AT SOLDIER AND MOREHEAD.**

The writer spent Monday night of last week at Soldier. Mrs. Cora Stewart, Superintendent of Schools of Rowan county, had been invited to visit the school recently begun there by Miss Jessie Spencer, of Lexington, as an annex of the Morehead Normal. R. B. Neal was master of ceremonies. He introduced Mrs. Stewart who read a fine paper on educational work, referring to noted men who had attained eminence, pointing out the good to be attained, and encouraging the people of Soldier and community to sustain the work undertaken by Miss Spencer. We were much pleased with what Mrs. Stewart said. Rev. Neal saw the writer enter and at the conclusion of the address introduced us as we who were interested in the schools conducted by the C. W. B. M. at Morehead and Hazel Green. We were pleased to speak a word of encouragement.

Miss Spencer told of having heard Rev. Neal in a prayer-meeting talk at Central Christian Church at Lexington, three weeks before, of her resolve to begin this work at Soldier, of her coming at once.

Thus far there are 39 enrollment. The school meets in the hall used by some of the lodges of the town.

It is yet too early to tell the exact procedure in the management and scope of the school. Miss Spencer is to be encouraged and complimented for the interest she has shown in education in that section. We shall expect to hear of very helpful work, and will call again. Although the weather was disagreeable, night dark and roads very muddy, the attendance was large.

C. & O. engineers were here locating a switch to connect with the fire clay plant on right of railroad, giving cash. This plant will be built by L. S. Vincent and those associated with him, an account of which will be given later. Mr. Vincent & sons have recently begun operating a saw mill. There are now two fire clay plants within a mile and one-half of town. Soldier is already an important shipping point.

We stopped between trains at Morehead. The wife of Dr. Woodward, the dentist, continues very weak, with no hope of recovery. The town is making a healthy growth, and the outlook along commercial lines is bright. As usual, we visited the Morehead Normal and took part in chapel exercises. During such there have recently been seven confessions of faith in Christ. So far as we know, this opportunity to become Christians is new in such schools. The attendance at the Normal is large, and would be much increased if facilities for caring for students were ample.

A great change has been wrought in Rowan county by this school. To stand before the young people there assembled in this and other schools is an inspiration. We did not have time to call at Bracken Academy but heard that it was prospering. We reached home on Tuesday afternoon.

Circuit court is now in session there, having convened on Monday, March 14.

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**A DREAM OF HEAVEN.**

Was it a dream in a vision bright  
That came to me in the dead of night?  
I went to learn of the things  
And more, and slept not any longer.  
While I stood at Heaven's gates  
Where the angel Peter watches and waits.

Above the gate in letters of gold  
Were the words in revealed bold  
That in this world you must labor  
And more, and sleep not any longer.  
While I stood at Heaven's gates  
Where the angel Peter watches and waits.

To some he gave the welcome word:

"Come in, ye blessed of the Lord!"

Then I went to see the Master  
And life eternal you shall win."

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**New Firm.**

Recently the Indian Creek Coal and Feed Co. was organized with headquarters in this city. W. P. Oldham will be in charge. They will have the exclusive control of the Indian Creek coal and will carry a full line of feed stuffs.

Mr. Loehrey's bill, authorizing sixth class towns to permit persons to construct electric light or water plants in said towns, was passed.

House Bill reducing from six to five the number of trustees of the graded common schools in the district, was passed, as also was House Bill No. 335, providing for paying County Clerks two cents a name for each name entered in the school census, and providing for back pay for this work during the past two years.

Mr. Price's bill, No. 440 empowering county courts to authorize the drainage of wet lands at the county's expense, was passed.

Fifty-four bills at this session are dead because of non-action. The House passed a bill increasing the pay of prison guards from \$60 to \$75 per month, and tabled a bill providing for the appointment of mine inspectors by County Judges in counties where mines are operated.

Mr. Middleton's bill, No. 419, making adultery the only ground for divorce, was passed by a vote of 40 to 36.

Among the bills is one requiring retail merchants to give five days notice to creditors before sale of a stock of goods in bulk, and to file legal action to prevent the defrauding of creditors by midnight sales and departures.

The General Assembly by last night will have appropriated nearly a million and a half dollars. The appropriations already made are \$1,000,000 for a State Capitol, \$75,000 for the St. Louis Fair, \$57,000 for the Confederate Home, \$75,000 for enlarging the Hopkinsville Asylum, \$22,000 for the Deaf and Dumb Institute at Danville, \$60,000 for the Frankfort and Eddyville penitentiaries, \$2,500 for a monument at Booneboro, \$3,000 annually for additional clerks in the Auditorium, \$750 for the Insurance Commissioner's office, \$2,000 for the State Treasurer's office, \$6,200 annually for the Attorney General's office, \$1,200 annually for the clerks of the Appellate Judge, \$200 annually for the State Librarian.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

By the will of the late Thos.

Wren his property is equally divided between his children and their heirs. The executor is Lewis Ap-

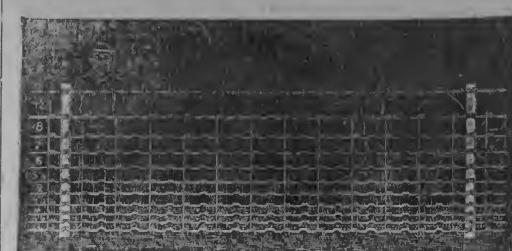
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CURE HEMORRHAGES of the Lungs.

"Several years since my lungs were so badly affected that I had many hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake, of Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with several physicians but with out any benefit. I then started to take Foley's Honey and Tar, and my lungs are now as sound as a bullet. I recommend it in advanced stages of lung trouble." Foley's Honey and Tar stops the cough and heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. Refuse substitutes. Sold by W. S. Lloyd.

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The Strongest  
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We carry a full stock of this fence in all heights.

Call and see it and get our prices.

**JONES & PREWITT, Mt. Sterling, Ky.****Last Notice.**

All persons indebted to the late D. W. Baum, are hereby notified that they must come at once and pay same. All claims not paid in 15 days will be sued upon. No exceptions. Any one having a claim against said estate will please present the same for payment to my attorney, H. Clay Kee.

MAY 2, 1904.

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## DEATHS.

PERSONAL.

Miss Lillie Taul has gone to Nicholasville to trim for Mrs. Peyton.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Goodwin, of Paris, spent from Friday till Monday with their parents.

W. T. Fitzpatrick and wife returned on Monday night from their Western and Southern trip.

Mrs. W. H. Leonard, of Cincinnati, will return from a visit to her sister, Miss Mary G. Anderson, Thursday.

Miss May Alexander has returned from a pleasant visit of three weeks with relatives and friends in Paris and Lexington.

Dr. R. Q. Drake returned Monday night from New Orleans. He is feeling quite well and hopes he has permanently recovered.

C. C. Chenault has returned from a visit to Texas. Mrs. Chenault and son will remain until the weather is settled here. They are in excellent health.

Men's and boys' shoes a specialty at low prices. Guthrie Co. Co.

Our new stock of spring stuffs is now in the house. Every department is teeming with the prettiest and freshest to be found. We buy spot cash and our prices in all lines are the very lowest. Visit our store and be assured before buying.

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## Notice to Trustees.

Blanks are now on hands at my office for taking the school census during April. Please call and get them. MARY G. ANDERSON, County Superintendent.

We have on hands a full line of garden and flower seed, in packages and bulk, also all the finest varieties of seed Irish potatoes.

SAM GREENWAD.

J. H. Wood has begun his 23d year of service as agent of the Adams Express Company in our city. This is evidence of efficient service. He is courteous and accommodating.

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## SOCIAL EVENTS.

## THE SICK.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

**GUTHRIE.**—Mrs. Birdie Bent Grubbs died at the family residence on Elm street on Monday evening at 6:15 o'clock, March 14, 1904. She was the daughter of J. M. Bent and wife, and was born at Topeka, Kan., January 22, 1869, hence was in her 35 year. She had lived since infancy in this city, except 1 year at Winchester. At the age of 19 she married Chas. M. Grubbs, of Louisville. Their two children died in infancy. In early childhood she confessed faith in the Christ and united with the Christian Church. For 12 years she had been a widow, her heart resting heavily upon her frail body. For eight days she was unconscious, and took no nourishment of any kind. Her last conversation was with her grandmother, Mrs. Mitchell, concerning a reunion with her mother and two dear children in the heavenly home. She is survived by her father, who lives at Aden, Ky., and a sister, Mrs. Marie Hoffman, with whom she lived. Her mother died May 21, 1908. Funeral service will be conducted at the residence this (Wednesday) afternoon at 1 o'clock by Rev. H. D. Clark. The body will be taken to Lexington on 2:10 train for burial.

**TUESDAY evening of last week** Misses Mary Hunter and Susette Johnson entertained the nine members of the Chafing Dish Club and several young gentlemen.

**On Friday afternoon** Mrs. G. L. Kirkpatrick entertained the High Five Club at cards. There were more than thirty guests.

**The Y. P. U. social** at W. E. Newell's on Friday evening was most enjoyable. Delightful refreshments were served. This shows what young church workers can do when they set themselves to the accomplishment of any special work.

**Miss Leah Anderson** returned Saturday from a six weeks' visit to her sister, Mrs. G. W. H. Stanley, at Thomaston, Ga. The following clipping is from the Thomasville Enterprise:

"It is one of the popular games

of the day and one of the pleasantest events of the social season will be the pit party given in honor of Miss Anderson, of Mt. Sterling, Ky. Miss Anderson is the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. W. H. Stanley, Prof. and Mrs. Stanley have a charming home and are most cordial hosts. About thirty of the young people of the city were their guests last night. All thoroughly enjoyed the game and meeting the honoree of the occasion."

**Greenwade** will pay the highest market price for all kinds of country produce.

We keep the best we can buy; we sell at a small profit; we show in our store; we are too busy to run you down; we want to sell you; come see for yourself. Guthrie Co. Co.

**On April 17** J. Spencer, pastor of the Central Christian Church, Lexington, will begin a meeting in our city.

**Victor Dorria**, of Georgetown, began a meeting at the Christian Church at Wilmington, O., Jan. 24. There were received into the church 111 persons, of these 32 were from the denominations.

**The Sunday School** of the Christian Church in this city will have a Teachers' meeting. The first was held on Thursday evening at the home of C. W. Harris. All teachers are invited to meet there on next Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

**The First Christian Church** on Sunday, March 6, raised nearly \$670 for Foreign Mission purposes.

It is hoped to increase this sum to \$750, which will enable the church to maintain an American missionary in India and also a native missionary in the same field.—Winchester Democrat.

**Rev. Chas. Leonard**, former pastor of Howard Mill Baptist Church, is preaching for the Meade Baptist Church, in Louisville. He opposes open saloons and the locating of saloons near churches. For this reason the whisky element in his congregation closed the doors of the building to prevent the preaching. So much for a majority of unconvinced membership.

**The revival services** of the Baptist Church will begin on next Sunday and Pastor Rev. J. R. Hobbs will preach each evening until the arrival of the gift-giving teacher, Rev. Lawrence, the week later. It is hoped this series of meetings will be the beginning of a real religious fervor in the city of Mt. Sterling; that every man who knows Christ in his forgiveness of his sins may rise up against the strongholds of sin, that vice may be made to flee from our midst, that all men from all positions may be made to know the wonderful love of God and to accept his free grace.

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## Dairy Butter.

Dairy butter is now manufactured in Holland from Philippine cocoanuts, and shipped to all parts of the world. This statement is made in bulletin just published by the Philippine Bureau of Agriculture, which has been making a special study of the cocanut industry in the islands. The cocan-

ut furnishes two distinct commercial products—the dried meat of the nut, or copra, which is worked up into Dutch "butter," soaps and other commodities, and the outer fibrous husk.

It has been only within the past few years that food products have been manufactured from copra, although soap has been made from it for decades. Several large factories in France are now engaged in making "vegetalines," "coocoaline," and other products belonging to this infant industry. The Hollander have succeeded in preparing from these manufactures a respectable looking and tasting butter. At first it was necessary to disguise the product by subjecting it to trituration with milk or cream, but so perfect is the present method of emulsion that the plain and unadulterated fats can be prepared and sold as butter without detection.

## A Good Thing

Is to get just what you ask for in the drug store; so insist on having Paracamph for catarrh or cold in the head. Paracamph contains no cocaine as many so-called catarrh remedies do, but it relieves you instantly by soothng the inflamed parts and destroying the germs which cause the trouble. So don't suffer. Try it to day. 33-ct.

Maple sugar-making is an industry, on the wane. It has been supplanted in the home by the granulated sugar of beet and cane. As a regular department of farm labor it is dying out. Formerly it was made primarily for home use, the surplus being sold or traded at the village store. Now it is commerce first and home use second. The work of making sugar is still interesting, but more arduous. The sugar maker of today cannot hope for success without using strictly modern methods, which involve considerable outlay for new appliances.

It is probable that there will always be a limited market, but it must be handled as a specialized business because cheaper substitutes are staples. Therefore, in some respects the maple product is a luxury, and will probably always remain so. Small fancy cakes, attractively bottled syrup (reasonably thick) will always be appreciated and paid for by a class of consumers who recognize a pure flavor and a healthy product—Country Life in America.

## PROFIT IN MUSHROOMS.

**A Good Place for a Profitable Bed.**

Mushroom growing is one of the latest fads that has struck Washington, says a Washington letter, and interesting stories are told of the financial results of this peculiar kind of farming. It appears that there is a large demand for mushrooms, which will increase as the people come back from the seashore and mountains and take up their burden of entertaining in their homes.

The fact is a coarse dinner is not usually complete without mushrooms in some form, and the marketers are sometimes driven to their wits' ends to supply the demand. Numerous private growers of mushrooms have lately met with good success, if the stories told around Center market are to be believed.

The abandoned rats of a brewing establishment in the northwest section are reported to have been transformed into beds for mushroom growing with almost as good profits as were formerly realized from the beer. Several have made use of their backyards for the purpose with satisfactory results. The mushrooms are easily grown, the yield is prolific, and their sale is good.

According to the figures given by a dealer in the market, a 15-foot bed will grow about 90 pecks of marketable mushrooms. The cost of the bed is about \$8. The growers receive 75 cents a peck for the best, and 60 cents a peck for the second grade, the size and quality determining the price.

He figured out that three women of his acquaintance were clearing each about \$35 a month out of mushrooms grown in the cellars of their homes.

The marketman said a good cellar was the best place to raise mushrooms. He said the things necessary to success were few. First the cellar in which they are to be grown must be kept at a temperature of about 65 degrees, and should be well ventilated, and arrangements should be made to have the soil moist.

Good manure, rich in phosphate, must be used to form the foundation of the bed, which will be built preferably upon a dirt floor. Two loads will be necessary for a bed 15 feet long. The mushroom spawn can be procured in the shape of bricks from the florists and nurserymen. The temperature of the bed must be tested, and no planting must be done until it is below 95 degrees. Then the bricks can be broken in half-inch pieces and distributed evenly over the bed.

## USE OF TOBACCO.

Is far from keeping pace with growth of population.

A century ago the colleges penalized the use of tobacco in public and disengaged its use in private. Even half a century ago some rules lingered on this subject, says the Philadelphia Press. They have all disappeared. In college tobacco is freely used, and even the fitting schools are less severe in their rules against its use than they once were. The per capita consumption of tobacco in this country does not increase and the aggregate amount imported and used is very far from keeping pace with the growth of population. Vastly more is used in cigarettes and vastly less in chewing tobacco, but the pounds consumed do not much increase. Our crop has changed little in 20 years and exports have increased. Imports grew because more costly cigars are used but the total imported is in a small proportion to the aggregate consumption. But people are easier over the use of tobacco than they once were. More cigarmen smoke the open trolley cars permit it. The railroads provide more comfortable quarters for smokers. It is even whispered that the college girl sometimes smokes and that the traveled young woman uses an occasional cigarette. More smoking is seen on the streets than was once. Yet the number of smokers is probably less, and the number of young men whom athletics and training keep from smoking is larger than ever.

## For Rent.

Goal stable with 4 stalls. J. G. TRIMBLE.

People who cannot endure children in the house will find heaven a very unpleasant place.

Hives are a terrible torment on the little folks, and to some older ones. Easily cured. Doan's Ointment never fails. Instant relief, permanent cure. At any drug store, 50 cents. 33-5t

The man who wins at inquiry today will be working with it tomorrow.

A man is judged by his words as well as by his deeds.

**Reduced Rates to the West or Southwest via Southern Railway.**

Round-trip HOMESEEKERS and one way COLONIST rates in effect on first and third Tuesdays of each month. Call on or address, T. W. CRAWS, Trax. Passenger Agent, 59 East Main St., Lexington, Ky.

When you keep one sin in the closet you may expect a brood in the parlor.

The sight of the wrong is the only commission the true man needs.

## Mothers, Listen!

Protect your babies from that dreaded disease, Croup, by applying Paracamph freely and giving ten to fifteen drops internally. Paracamph is safe and sure. It does not contain any cocaine, opium, or chloroform. It is mother's remedy and should be in every home every day in the year. 33-5t

The salvation of a sermon has often meant the loss of some soul.

Some men preserve their principles by never using them.

## Through to City of Mexico

Without change of cars, via Iron Mountain Route, in elegant Pullman sleeping cars, leave St. Louis 8:40 p.m. daily via Laredo Gateaway. Shortest and quickest line. Excursion tickets now on sale.

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